

VERMONT NATIONAL GUARD ARRIVES AT EAGLE PASS TEX.

Col. Reeves's Command Reaches Mexican Border at One O'clock Sunday Afternoon and Immediately Goes into Camp.

24,028 TROOPS MOVING

85,000 Will Be on the Field by End of Week—50,000 National Guardsmen Are Now Mobilized in the States of the Department of the East.

Eagle Pass, Texas, July 2.—The first Regiment of the Vermont National Guard, Col. Ira L. Reeves commanding, arrived at Eagle Pass today and went into camp. The first battalion arrived about one o'clock and was followed by the other battalions in sections at intervals of about an hour.

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COW AND AUTO IN COLLISION

Poultry Dealer Breaks Three Ribs as Result of Unusual Mishap.

Poultney, June 30.—Joseph Sheffer, poultry dealer, of this town, is in the hospital at Port Ann, N. Y., with a fractured shoulder and three broken ribs as the result of an automobile accident last night when a cow stepped in front of the Ford car he was driving. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baldwin of New York and Miss Jane Morris of Poultney, passengers in the car, were injured. Mrs. Baldwin's back was hurt and Mrs. Baldwin sustained many bruises. Miss Morris suffered from an injury to her left arm. The Baldwins are spending the summer in Poultney and the party started yesterday for Hudson Falls, N. Y.

CASEMENT APPEALS FROM DEATH SENTENCE

London, June 30.—The appeal filed in the case of Sir James Caseant alleges three reasons for setting aside the verdict of guilty of high treason found against him. It is claimed that he was sentenced to death as follows:

First, that no crime had been committed under the statute of Edward III by which Sir Roger was tried, because no such crime as treason "without the realm" was included in the statute. Second, that the lord chief justice erred in his use of the term "aid and comfort to the enemy." Third, because the lord chief justice in his charge to the jury did not properly set forth the defendant's side of the case.

FREED FROM CHARGE

Minute Boutin, 18, Not Guilty Because Insane, Says Jury.

Montpelier, June 30.—Minute Boutin, aged 18, charged with arson, was today found not guilty in Addison county court because of insanity. She was charged with having set fire to a barn owned by Michael St. George in Bridport last February, causing a loss of \$700.

ASSUMES DUTIES SOON

William H. Finn New Postmaster at St. Albans.

St. Albans, June 30.—William H. Finn will assume charge of the postoffice as soon as his commission as postmaster arrives, which will probably be in a few days. The United States Senate in executive session June 27 having confirmed his nomination. Postmaster Charles S. Forbes' commission expired June 3, but his four years' term of office did not expire until June 26.

BICYCLIST BREAKS LEG

Lawrence Palmer, 11, Learning to Ride, Collides with Automobile.

Richford, June 30.—Lawrence Palmer, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Palmer of this town, had his left leg broken in two places yesterday morning when he collided with a large touring car driven by Mayhew Taylor as he was riding his bicycle down Church street hill. The boy was attended by Doctors H. S. Herick and E. P. Vanderveer, who stated that his injuries although serious, are not likely to prove fatal. The Palmer boy had recently received a new bicycle, which he was just learning to ride and could not guide with any degree of certainty, so that Mr. Taylor, who was driving his car slowly up the hill, was unable to avoid the collision.

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CAPTURED TROOPERS OF THE TENTH BACK ON AMERICAN SOIL

Capt. Morey Wounded at Carrizal Also Returns—Men of the 10th Insist Mexicans Were Responsible for the Fight and After the Battle Killed Wounded Men—Spillsbury, the Mormon Scout, Sticks to His Story That Captain Boyd Was Obstinate in Advancing in the Face of Certain Attack.

El Paso, Texas, June 29.—The 23 negro troopers of the Tenth cavalry, who at Carrizal, Villa Ahumada, Chihuahua City and Juarez have been central figures in one of the most striking chapters of the Mexican situation, are safely out of Mexico.

Survivors of an engagement with a superior force, victims twice of mobs that attacked them, more than once gripped with the fear of execution for their part in the Boyd expedition and, lastly, objects of interest to the President of the United States, they were brought to the border from Chihuahua City on a special train today and turned over to Gen. George Bell, Jr., commander of the El Paso base.

With them came Leon H. Spillsbury, the Mormon scout, who guided Capt. Charles T. Boyd and his detachment over the trail that led to the Carrizal encounter. Spillsbury spent the night at the home of his brother here. The troopers were quartered at Fort Bliss, awaiting orders from General Funston.

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The arrival of Spillsbury and the negro troopers at the border today caused thousands to gather in Juarez and El Paso to witness the event. In Juarez a big crowd at the Mexican Central railroad station viewed the disembarking of the prisoners from their train, but gave little outward evidence of enmity. As they marched from the station to the disinfecting plant from that point to the commandancia and finally to the international bridge, there were occasional jeers.

On the crowd showed good humor. That was when the troopers descended from the train. Stripped of their uniforms after the battle of Carrizal and with restoration only partly made, the negro soldiers were arrayed in motley garb and their appearance provoked laughter.

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An incident of the day was the arrival here of Captain Lewis S. Morey for treatment at the Fort Bliss hospital of the wound he received at Carrizal. He arrived an hour before the prisoners were released. To-night he arranged to visit the soldiers at Fort Bliss. Fifteen of them, members of Troop E, are under his command.

The special did not reach Juarez until noon. Departure was made in the night, the prisoners being taken to the train secretly so as to avoid arousing the people. It was almost nine o'clock when the train pulled out. It consisted of an engine, tank car, day coach and a caloose.

The prisoners were also in leaving the base. As the negro soldiers appeared, derisive whistling rose from the crowd. The faces of most of the troopers looked drawn and they presented an odd appearance. Their uniforms had been taken from them at Villa Ahumada. They wore a motley collection of hats, bought from prisoners in the Chihuahua prison, towels or colored handkerchiefs. Shirts were in many instances. Two of the men wore handkerchiefs in lieu of trousers. One had a towel around his waist. Sandals and shoes not of army pattern were on their feet. One of them managed to smile and say: "We are sure glad to get back."

Interpreter Spillsbury, the only white man had on a white yachting cap and white trousers many sizes too large. At the station the prisoners were marched down the main street to the disinfecting plant where they were taken to headquarters.

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Aero Club of Vermont to Be Organized That Day—Two Biplanes May Be Furnished by Aero Club of America.

BATCHELDER MOVING SPIRIT

Men Prominent in Aviation Circles of Country Will Attend—Two Aeroplanes Would Add Effectiveness of 8,000 Men to Vermont Forces.

The Vermont aviation meet which was scheduled to be held at Northfield on July 6, but was given up because of the mobilization of the Vermont National Guard and the consequent abandonment of the plans for a summer military camp at Northfield University, will be held at the headquarters of the First Vermont cavalry, commanded by Major Wallace Batchelder, on the State camp grounds near Fort Ethan Allen at 10 o'clock, July 6. At this meet, which will be attended by Gen. Allen R. Hawley, president of the Aero Club of America, the Hon. Henry Woodhouse of the Aero Club of America and other men prominent in aviation circles, it is proposed to organize the Aero Club of Vermont. The Aero Club of America has agreed with Major Batchelder that if such a club is formed it will arrange to provide two first-class up-to-the-minute military biplanes; one for the First Regiment of Infantry, Vermont National Guard, and the other for the First Vermont cavalry.

It is hoped that the club, which will be organized on July 6, will have not less than 1,000 members, and thus assure the securing of the aeroplanes. Each town in Vermont is requested to form at once a detachment to join the Aero Club of Vermont, arrange for some individual in their town to list the members and report their number to the organizing committee. The details of the organization, the amount of the membership dues, admission fees, etc., will be determined by the charter members present either in person or by proxy at the aviation meet. Should the Aero Club of Vermont desire to affiliate with the Aero Club of America, all that is required is that the Vermont club shall agree not to allow a member to operate an aeroplane until he has been duly licensed by the officers of the Aero Club of America.

In a statement, issued Friday to the Free Press, Major Batchelder said: "Military experts of all of the nations now at war agree that one first-class military aeroplane, with a competent military observer, is equivalent to 1,000 troops on the ground. Vermont now has two officers studying aviation in splendid schools of military flying and their effectiveness when operating two aeroplanes will be equal to adding 2,000 men to the forces which Vermont could contribute to the defense of her country in time of need."

Major-General Leonard Wood has repeatedly stated that there is as much sense in sending out a scouting party blindfolded as to send troops against an enemy, if they are not equipped with sufficiently efficient aeroplanes. The Vermont aviation meet, which will be held at Northfield, June 30, at the headquarters of the Aero Club of America, may be judged from the fact that the club presented the National Guard of New Mexico with a new aeroplane costing \$5,000, a short time ago. This same machine was driven from New York to Washington, D. C., by Victor Carlstrom in three hours and four minutes, with two passengers and one-half ton of supplies aboard.

"This proposition means something to the people of Vermont. Many of her young men have gone to the front in the service of their country and others will follow. There are many who unfortunately render such service, but unfortunately are unable to do so. All, however, may aid in this aviation project and help to increase the effectiveness of the present means of saving and conserving the lives of their soldier boys. Vermont has taken the lead in innumerable measures for her country's welfare, and she should now take the lead in aviation."

Telegrams of which the following are copies were sent out Friday by Major Batchelder:

Headquarters 1st Vt. Cavalry, Ft. E. A., Vt., June 30, 1916.

To Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, Eagle Island, Robert Harbor, Me.

Vermont aviation meet you generously promised me to attend July 6th will be held at my headquarters, Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. You can take train Boston about seven o'clock July 5th, go by way of White River Junction and have train at Ethan Allen at 8 P. M. You will be received there and brought to my headquarters. Please bring Mrs. Peary and the Snow Baby if possible. Wire reply my response.

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MONEY WILL SAY IN TO-MORROW'S

Second Section Vermont National Guard Train, June 30.—A little excitement was created just as the train pulled out of Elmira, N. Y., when Italian who was being treated by railroad detective jumped aboard. The train guard did not permit him to go on, but he was moving rapidly, but the detective also jumped aboard and subdued him man after slight scuffle. The prisoner was taken off at the next station.

INCIDENT ABROAD

VT. TROOP TRA

Cerutti Said to Have Been Attacked by E. Albano, for Whom Police Search the City for E. Albano, is said to have shot Luigi Cerutti, night in that city, wounding him in the arm. Albano fled after the shot had been fired and has not been located, although the police believe he is in the city. Cerutti is not seriously injured.

The shooting was the result of the long standing between the two men, who are Italians. It being reported that Cerutti interfered with the married life of his assailant. Cerutti resides as a boarder with Mrs. Albano on Webster avenue.

TWO YEARS AT WINDSO

Fred Garvey Sentenced for Grand Larceny Committed at Bridport.

Montpelier, July 2.—Fred Garvey, charged with burglary and grand larceny at Bridport last December, was yesterday found guilty of grand larceny in disson county court and sentenced to two years in the State prison. He was a half year at the State prison. The jury had the case on Friday night at six, came in early yesterday morning for instructions, and finally reported at 11:30. A number of entries were made on the docket and court adjourned until Monday, July 10.

\$500 RAISED QUICKLY FOR COMPANY

St. Johnsbury Fund Mobilized Swiftly for Soldier Boys in Texas.

St. Johnsbury, June 29.—Through efforts of the Commercial club and office of the E. & F. Fairbanks company, proceeds of a show were to help swell a fund for the benefit of the St. Johnsbury Soldier Boys in Texas. The fund was organized by the Commercial club and the E. & F. Fairbanks company. The fund was organized by the Commercial club and the E. & F. Fairbanks company. The fund was organized by the Commercial club and the E. & F. Fairbanks company.

HAS 150TH ANNIVERSARY

Vergennes Begins a Three-Day Celebration of the Settlement of City.

Vergennes, July 2.—The McIntire memorial celebration, commemorating the 150th anniversary of the settlement of Vergennes opened here today. In the morning Vermont Sunday was observed in the churches and the celebration has been held by the Vergennes association was used, and Governor Gates's letter, a commanding appeal to Vermonters, was read as part of the service. At two o'clock in the afternoon there were services on the park, beginning with a concert by the State Industrial School band, at which the following program was carried out: "Preparedness," Prof. Theodore W. Thomas of New Adams; "Vergennes," Mrs. Ella W. Fisher; address, "Donald McIntire," ex-Postmaster Thomas MacJude Frank L. Fish presided and introduced the speakers.

The program of to-morrow's celebration will consist of two of the leading events of the three days' celebration, as follows: 4:00 p. m., concert on park by Physicians' Alumni association; 5:00 p. m., address by Rev. G. Glenn Atkins, historical pageant, "Old Vergennes at opera house." The present has cast of over 100 people. Tuesday program is as follows: 10:00 a. m., harp concert; house and running races, leader exhibition, Main street, appeal park; 11:00 a. m., service in connection with the dedication of the marker to Vergennes Soldiers; 2:30 p. m., ball game; 3:30 p. m., folk dances, drills, etc. at old fair grounds; 7:00 p. m., band concert and carnival on the park; 9:00 p. m., masquerade novelty ball at opera house, music by Felton's orchestra. In the anticipation of the celebration the city has begun to put on a gala day appearance. A number of residences Saturday being decorated with flags and bunting.

IF YOU WANT QUICK RELIEF

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HARD TO SUE

The Needles Sun found this story in an Oregon paper. A man went into a business house and stated that his wife had made up her mind to go back to Western Kansas. "Back there," he explained, "she would be a good and a good for a tubful of good, soft rain water in which to wash the clothes and it became so tiresome I moved to Oregon. We have been here two months and now she has all the rain water she can use and wants to move back to Kansas to get the clothes dried."